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TO: District Superintendents

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SUBJECT: CCSS RESOURCES UPDATED TO WDE STANDARDS PAGES;

INTRODUCING NEW MODULE ON FRACTION PROGRESSIONS

IMPORTANT INFORMATION – PLEASE SHARE IMMEDIATELY

The Wyoming Department of Education standards team has updated its web pages and added resources for schools in regards to the Common Core State Standards (CCSS). Resources include videos, web links, information about online training, and resources specific to math and ELA.

Also added is a professional development module on **Fraction Progressions for Grade 2 - 6** under CCSS – Math Resources. This module was a multi-state effort designed for school leaders to facilitate a 3-4 hour training. This training focuses on the importance of understanding how the standards progress through the grades and on building collaboration within and across grades. Two resources are included for this training, a powerpoint and a facilitator's guide. This module can be broken out into smaller sessions, but is not intended to be a "one and done," training.

Please visit our pages to learn more about the resources available around CCSS in the areas of language arts and mathematics:

- http://edu.wyoming.gov/Programs/standards.aspx
- http://edu.wyoming.gov/Programs/standards/common-core-state-standards.aspx

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